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## THE WAR IN COREA.

No New Developments in the Situation Recorded.

### MEDIATION BY THE UNITED STATES.

For Which the European Governments Are Making Efforts, Not Likely to be Sought—Compromise No Longer Possible.

LONDON, July 30.—The Central News has this dispatch from Shanghai:

"The Chinese war ship 'Tao-Khan,' which was captured by a Japanese war ship off the coast of Round Island, is a vessel of an obsolete model. Although completely out-matched by the Japanese cruiser, the troop ship offered some resistance and lost fully 100 men, killed and wounded, before she yielded. She was entirely disabled when the Japanese boarded her.

The troop ship Kow-Shang tried to get away as soon as the Japanese war ship began their attack, and made only a weak running fight. The Japanese guns swept her decks and carried off the Chinese soldiers by the score. The latest estimate of the number aboard her is 1,700. Only forty survived the foundering of the ship. They say that all her officers were killed before she went down.

The announcement that the rest of the Chinese transports arrived safely at Corea and landed their men is confirmed. On the 27th the Japanese assaulted heavily those who had landed on the 26th at Yachuan. The Japanese officers hoped thus to prevent the junction of the Chinese with the Koreans near Seoul. Whether they accomplished their object is not known.

"No news of the hostilities can be obtained from Pekin. Code messages are refused at the telegraph offices, and no other message referring to current affairs is accepted. The only thing that is being said is that the Japanese are concentrating rapidly at Taku, the rendezvous from which the regiments are embarked for Corea.

"The work of preparing harbor defenses here advances rapidly. Torpedoes are being laid in the North channel at the entrance of the Yangtze-Kiang. Great quantities of ammunition have been purchased by the government and are being collected at the ports for shipment. The exportation of rice and grain has been prohibited. Trade is paralyzed. The coasting steamers and small craft are afraid to leave the harbors. While everything looks and sounds like war, the Chinese officials continue to maintain that war has not been declared."

The Central News says that in official circles here there is a strong feeling in favor of mediation on the part of the United States, although few believe that Japan and China would accept arbitration unless under considerable pressure.

### NO NEW DEVELOPMENTS

In the Situation Between China and Japan as Seen from this End of the Line.

WASHINGTON, July 30.—There have been no new developments to-day in the situation between China and Japan at this end of the line. The efforts of the European governments to secure the consent of the belligerent powers to accept mediation by the United States, so far as can be learned, have not been attended with success. Neither the Chinese nor the Japanese legation in this city has received any information with respect to the matter, and the impression prevails here, as in Europe, that compromise is no longer possible. While it is understood that the good offices of the United States would be most gladly exercised, no advice has been received by the authorities here to indicate that China and Japan will invoke them.

At the Japanese legation Minister Tatenoe said the only advice he had received from his government to-day notified him of the fact that communication between China and Japan had been interrupted and that there was no news to communicate to him. The minister said he had hoped the difficulties between his country and China might be arbitrated without resort to hostilities, but the condition of affairs was such that he did not feel able to express an opinion as to the outcome.

A gentleman who is familiar with the condition of things, as viewed from the Chinese standpoint said that there was nothing to add to the reports already published, as coming from the Chinese legation. It was impossible to-night to learn anything direct from the officials of the legations themselves.

Secretary Herbert stated to-night that the navy department was in receipt of no additional information from the officers on duty in the Chinese station. The last news that had been received at the department was the dispatch from the commander of the Baltimore announcing the capture of the king of Corea by the Japanese troops. The secretary said the fact that nothing further had been received was probably due to the disturbed condition of the ordinary channels of communication, the telegraph and cable lines being more or less seriously interrupted.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder  
World's Fair Medal Awarded

### CAPTURED THE TRAIN.

Coxeys Sweep Aside the Police and Secure a Free Ride.

ALLIANCE, O., July 30.—This morning seventy-five members of the second division of Jeffries, industrial army, who were pulled off a train by the police last night, attempted to board an east-bound freight train on the Fort Wayne. The police headed them off and threatened the arrest of the whole gang if they did not march out of town at once.

Rather than go to jail the men agreed to walk, but before going the westerners wanted to see Coxeys, who was in town looking after his congressional canvass. While they were talking Coxeys appeared and was soon in whispered conversation with several of the leaders. Just then the train started and the hobos rushed for it. The police were swept aside and in a minute all were on top of the cars, while Coxeys stood laughing at the discomfiture of the police. By-standers who were watching the commonwealers believe Coxeys advised the men to board the train so as to get rid of them.

### A FATAL ACCIDENT.

Archduke William Thrown from His Horse and Dragged to Death.

VIENNA, July 30.—While Archduke William was riding yesterday afternoon in Baden, his horse bolted, being frightened by an electric car. The archduke was thrown. His right foot caught in the stirrup and he was dragged more than 100 yards. He was insensible when the horse stopped, and he died at 5:30 o'clock without having recovered consciousness. The physicians who attended him said that death was caused by concussion of the brain.

The archduke was born in 1837. He never married. He was inspector general and master of ordnance in the Austrian army.

### Fatal Collision on the Union Pacific.

COLUMBUS, Neb., July 29.—Union Pacific fast mail No. 3, west-bound, ran into train 18 at the crossing of L street at 9 o'clock last night. The freight was backing on to a siding, and the mail ran into an open switch and the engines collided, badly wrecking both of them. A man riding on a blind baggage car was killed outright. In a memorandum book found in his pocket was written the following: "My name is Ludwig Uplendorf, from Essen, Germany." The train hands and passengers were unhurt.

### Went Down Through a Bridge.

BRADFORD, Pa., July 30.—As a freight train containing seven loaded cars and some eighty empties, en route from Buffalo south on the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh railroad, was passing over the bridge at Carrollton, N. Y., yesterday morning, two spans of the bridge gave way and fifteen cars went down on top of each other. The loss will reach \$50,000. A crowded excursion train from Bradford to Silver Lake was due to cross the bridge shortly after the freight train.

### Mrs. Cleveland's Step-Father Seriously Ill.

HUFFALO, N. Y., July 30.—Mr. Henry E. Perrine, Mrs. Cleveland's step-father, is seriously ill at his home in this city. Mrs. Perrine has been telegraphed to hasten home from Gray's, where she is visiting Mrs. Cleveland.

### Death of James Mulligan.

MAYNARD, Mass., July 30.—The man of "Mulligan letter" fame, James Mulligan, died here yesterday morning, aged 63. He was a native of the north of Ireland, and came to this country when he was 15 years of age.

### A Dead Cardinal.

PARIS, July 30.—Cardinal Ledonchowski, prefect of the congregation of the propaganda, died Saturday at Lucerne, Switzerland.

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Without good, healthy nerves, life is feeble and miserable, and liable to leave the body entirely, but with nerves braced up by

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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Preaching by the pastor, Sunday school at 10:45 a. m. Intermediate Endeavor at 4 p. m. Union service at 8:45 p. m. Union service at 8:45 p. m. Sermon by Rev. R. F. F.

WESTMINSTER CHAPEL. Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. J. J. Simpson, Supt.

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MONDAY, JULY 30, 1894.

THE Democratic convention emphasized one thing, namely, that no Democrat in Macon county ought to vote for a Republican candidate, not even for a half-breed, as Delegate Bragg suggested. Of course there is not a Democratic candidate on the ticket who cannot give a reason why a Republican could not conscientiously vote for him.

In presenting the name of Chas. E. Wheeler before the Democratic convention for sheriff, the speaker said: "If he becomes sheriff of Macon county the people will have a sheriff who will not find it convenient to be in Chicago when the life of a poor man in jail is in danger." Unless Mr. Wheeler has changed considerably the chances are he would be too busy, under the circumstances hinted at, to go to Chicago.

THE Chicago Tribune: The passage of the anti-Anarchist bill by the French chamber of deputies marks a new method in the treatment of these pests, for it is certain now that the bill will become a law. The salient provisions of the bill are the absence of a jury trial, solitary confinement of convicted persons and the forbidding of the press to report the trials. The outcome of these sections of the bill will be to end all possibilities of notoriety and incitement for others, which are the highest ambitions of Anarchists. Their stock in trade will be mainly gone if they are not allowed to pose in public. If they cannot have newspaper fame, visiting sympathizers and the admiration of the canaille, but are isolated from the world after conviction, there will be little comfort left in the propaganda of anarchy.

Of course, the delegate that introduced the resolution last Saturday still has implicit confidence in the integrity of the Democratic party. He thinks it was born of God and can do no wrong. It has not occurred to him that the whole outfit as an organization is a delusion, a snare to catch the unwary, and a fraud and cannot legislate for the country. If he were acquainted with the party, as Henry Watterson is, he would have followed the advice of the convention and kept his resolution in his pocket, or would have cut the following out of the Louisville Courier-Journal and offered it for adoption by the convention:

The whole miserable business has degenerated into a personal wrangle, in which Democracy has no prospect save for defeat. Concessions are proposed on all hands except concessions to the wishes of the people. It is a situation which offers choice between some degrees of evil, but none of good.

CAPITAL and labor are both seeking a market. Some capital may find a market in bonds and securities, but labor can find a market only where capital in connection with labor is used in production. In other words, labor cannot be employed unless there is capital willing to employ it, and there is no capital willing to employ labor at a loss. If it was, it would be worth nothing to labor, and labor would be worth nothing to capital. Capital can be idle, if forced into that condition, without danger of disease and starvation. Labor cannot be idle without being in constant danger of both. These facts no one will care to deny. It must then follow that the worst enemy labor has is the demagogue and agitator, who is continually making it uncomfortable for that class of capital that employs labor; and worse than a consuming fire are the scoundrels or rattle-brained leaders who are talking about "freeing labor from the oppression of capital," especially at a time when the country is full of idle men. Every railroad that is forced into the hands of a receiver, and every factory that is closed, and every public enterprise that is abandoned, as the result of the senseless war on capital, puts the shackles upon labor instead of making it free.

SENATOR STEWART has turned Populist, and by refusing to vote the other day will probably be instrumental in opening the way for the passage of the present tariff bill, which Cleveland says will increase importations from abroad. Such importations mean less work and less wages for American labor, and yet we have such labor leaders as Debs and Sovereign and a lot of lesser lights advocating such a policy. If labor wants a free trade policy in this country, after the experience it has, it can have it by voting against the Republican party. But those workingmen who vote that way must bear in mind that if they establish free trade in this country, it will be here to stay. It will not be an experiment. It will become a fixed condition. This country can stand a free trade tariff if wages, which represent 90 per cent. of the cost of production, is reduced to a corresponding basis. The

protectionist proceeds on the theory that American workmen, being voters, should have respectable wages, and that the only way open to such wages is by fixing conditions which will stimulate and build up American industries through a protective tariff. Such conditions produced that result; but if American workmen are dissatisfied with these conditions and want to follow the Debses and Sovereigns to the conditions which mean low wages, and vote for such conditions, they should not oppose the reduction of wages after the conditions have been established. Such opposition must necessarily be useless in the end.

The Resolution.

The Democratic county convention, Saturday, decided it did not want a committee on resolutions, but just as the convention was about to adjourn a delegate, evidently for the purpose of impressing the public that there are a few people who think the Democratic party is actuated by principle, introduced the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That we re-affirm the Democratic principles as expounded in the National Democratic platform of 1892 and heartily endorse President Cleveland both as an executive and in his efforts to secure a strict adherence to Democratic principles by the party throughout the country.

This resolution is a little ambiguous, but we assume that it is intended to hold up the president's hands in his fight against the senate amendments to the Wilson bill. But what will become of the resolution and the Democratic party when the president signs a bill embodying the very senate amendments he so vigorously attacked as un-Democratic?

BIRD LIFE.

The Individuality Exhibited by Our Plumed Neighbors.

What is called the leg of a bird is really the foot, and birds walk only upon their toes. It seems a wonder to some that birds do not fall from the perch even in sleep. There is a special muscle that holds toes, and the bending of the knee-joint draws this muscle tight, thus making it impossible for it to lose its hold. The female is accredited with highly aesthetic tastes, choosing her male companion for his beauty. The bird's beak is of interest, taking the place, as it does, of both hand and mouth. The eye is the most wonderful of all. It is a combination of both microscope and telescope, with an automatic combination that is marvelous. There is a great deal of humanity in birds. Their lives are full of anxiety, toil and care. We must remember that every mouthful of their food must be captured. The labor of supplying food for a hungry nestful of children is no joke, even to a bird.

Nothing is more underrated than the individuality of birds. Birds differ in characteristics and mental habits. Those who study will be able to tell one robin from another by little tricks of manner or by voice. There can be no question about birds having a language of their own. The language of some savage races of men is very like in sound to the language of birds. The first recognized duty of a nurseries is said to be the arrangement of a plumage by means of the little oil gland or wax, secreted on the body just above the tail. Nature has been lavish in her dress of birds. What is more beautiful or wonderful than the feathers that cover them? Each feather can be lifted individually and independently of each other. This beautiful dress requires care, and the bird smooths and brightens it with the oil from the oil sack.—Mrs. Olive Thorne Miller.

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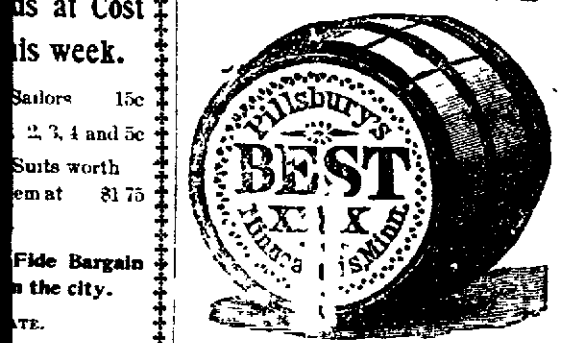
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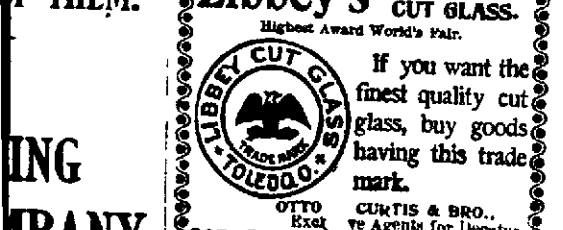
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16.50, 16.00 or 15.00 ..... at \$13.95  
New Stylish Long Cut Sacks and Frocks, Extra Sizes or Stout.

**TAKE CHOICE** of any suit on our tables that sold at \$14.00, 13.00, 12.00  
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All Goods Mark Plain Figures—A Safeguard to Purchasers of Clothing.

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**GRAIN**  
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**Market Place, Chicago**

## Reduction Sale!

Having purchased the interest in our  
business of Mr. Webb, I want to reduce  
stock, so have concluded to commence a  
Reduction Sale. Prices will be no object  
on all SUMMER GOODS. They must be  
sold for what they will bring. Will not try  
to quote prices.

Every article marked in Plain Figures.

**Sale Commences Monday Morning.**

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The People's Grocer.

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MONDAY, JULY 30, 1914.

### LOCAL NEWS.

#### DENZ & SON, TAILORS.

THE Dutchman has come to stay. 1m  
SMOKE the Dutchman cigar. July 16-17m  
Boys, read the B. Stine Clothing Co.  
Ad.

REGULAR meeting of the city council  
to-night.

CUBANOLA, the favorite five cent cigar,  
at Irwin's drug store.

SMOKE the Joe Michel cigars—the  
Little Rose and Boquet.

JOHN OWEN is on duty as a special  
policeman at Oakland Park.

CREAM PIES, 15c, at Co-Operative Wo-  
man's Exchange.

Ask for the Dutchman cigar; take no  
other.

ABOUT 600 strangers came to Decatur  
Sunday on the excursion trains.

HEADACHES can be cured by Irwin's  
Harmless Powders.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR  
THE annual reunion of the 126th Illi-  
nois regiment will be held at Bethany on  
August 15 and 16.

GET your guess in at the B. Stine  
Clothing Co.

APPLE PIES, 15c, at Co-Operative Wo-  
man's Exchange.

HELEN GODDARD will be one of the  
speakers at the camp meeting next Sat-  
urday and Sunday.

SMOKE the old reliable K. & W. cigars.  
mar 25-dit

TELEPHONE 198 and get groceries at  
Philip Kemper's handy store, 757 North  
Water street, delivered to any part of  
the city.

LADIES \$3.00 Tan Shoes for \$1.50 at  
Freeman Bros., 114 Merchant street.  
July 30-17m

THIS is Equal Suffrage day at the  
camp meeting and the motto is "Make  
the World Better." Wednesday will be  
W. C. T. U. day.

DON't fail to read B. Stine Clothing  
Co's Ad.

Go to Henry Bros' bakery for all  
kinds of cakes, pies, etc. sept 23-dit

TO DAY the H. H. Brown Manufactur-  
ing company made a long distance ship-  
ment of their famous dehorers. The  
shipment goes to Christ Church, a city  
of 20,000 inhabitants in New Zealand.

THE Republican senatorial convention  
for the 41st district will be held at the  
court house in Decatur next Friday,  
August 3. It will be called to order at  
11 a. m. with fifteen delegates from Ma-  
con county; ten from Christian and four  
from Moultrie.

THE Buyers' and Merchants' Benefit  
Bureau saves you 4 per cent on your en-  
tire living expenses. Call upon the man-  
ager L. Chodat and learn how.

DELL HARRIS came over from Cham-  
paign Sunday to take in the Prohibition  
camp meeting. He met many friends  
while here. Dell is doing a good busi-  
ness in the confectionary line and thinks  
Champaign is the boss town. Z. W.  
Harris will visit Decatur next Sunday.

Mrs. LUCY C. MILLER, Bingham, Mich.,  
writes makers of Dr. Wheeler's Nerve  
Vitalizer: "I heeded help if any poor  
mortal ever needed it." Many others  
need help for their nerves. Call on us.  
C. H. Dawson.

THE Illinois Central has issued a cir-  
cular to all its employees, thanking them  
for their action in standing by the road  
during the strike. The circular declares  
that, with few exceptions, the men per-  
formed their duties during the strike  
in a manner which merits the highest  
praise.

THE Spencer & Lehman company have  
the exclusive agency for the celebrated  
Kearney Buggy company's surreys, also  
Kearney Buggy company's full  
line of surreys. A full assortment of  
buggies, road wagons, etc.,  
complete in hand. Prices cheap and  
work guaranteed. feb 6-dim

### DISTRESSING ACCIDENT.

A Boy Falls Into An Open Well  
and Meets His Death  
—The Inquest.

A distressing accident occurred Sat-  
urday last near the ravine on a line with  
Cantrell street, south of the Jackson  
street school house in the Fourth Ward,  
by which Charles A. Schall, aged 10  
years, son of Mrs. Joseph Grindol, met  
his death. The Grindol family resides  
at 784 South Colfax street, not far from  
the old well. Mrs. Grindol is quite sick  
and she was alone with her son, Charles,  
Saturday forenoon, when he told  
his mother he would go  
out with his rubber slung-  
shot and kill a bird or two for her. That  
was the last seen of the boy alive. He  
did not return all afternoon, and when  
night came Mrs. Grindol, who was nearly  
distracted with anxiety, managed to get  
word to the neighbors and search was  
instituted, resulting in the finding of  
the lifeless body of the lad in an old  
abandoned well, 20 feet deep, on a lot  
belonging to the Dr. J. N. Bills estate.  
W. H. Jimison, Joe Mann and Tom Rear-  
don formed the searching party. Jimi-  
son knew of the well and that it was  
unprotected and dangerous. A torch  
was secured and poked down into the  
well, but the "black damp" was so  
strong that the light was blown out  
instantly. There is no water in the well,  
only trash and brush. The searchers  
felt certain that the boy had fallen into  
the well, and by using grappling hooks  
at the second attempt the body of the  
boy was pulled out of the deep hole.  
There was no evidence of violence appar-  
ent, and the accepted theory was that  
Charles, while walking backwards, look-  
ing up into the trees for a bird, fell into  
the well. Coroner Bendure was sum-  
moned and the body was taken to the  
home of Joe Grass. Later the body was  
removed to the Grindol residence where  
the inquest was held Sunday forenoon.  
This was the verdict.

In the matter of the inquest on the  
body of Charles A. Schall, deceased, held  
at 784 South Colfax street, on July 29,  
we, the undersigned jurors, sworn to in-  
quire of the death of C. A. Schall, on  
oath do find that he came to his death  
by falling into an abandoned and unpro-  
tected well, located on a lot known as  
belonging to the J. N. Bills estate, be-  
tween South Colfax and South Franklin  
streets, on a line with Cantrell street,  
in the city of Decatur, Ill.

L. P. GRAHAM, Foreman.  
B. N. ADAMS.  
CHARLES G. OWEN.  
G. W. MARTIN.  
W. H. JIMISON.  
JOSEPH MANN.

The witnesses were Messrs. Jimison,  
Mann and Reardon.

Mrs. Grindol was the widow of William  
Schall who died at Harriestown some  
years ago. There were two children by  
the marriage, William L. Schall and  
Charles A. Schall. The former is aged  
about 13 years, and both boys were  
very much devoted to their mother. The  
guardian is J. R. Gorin, the two boys  
having \$827.74 between them from their  
father's estate. A few years ago the  
widow married Joseph Grindol, who is a  
brother of W. H. Grindol, the marble  
dealer. Joe's first wife, it will be re-  
membered, after the legal separation,  
married Elijah Jett, who, after at-  
tempted wife murder, killed himself.

The body of the Schall boy has been  
taken to Harriestown for burial.

Relatives of the boy will institute  
legal proceedings through the guardian  
for damages from the Bills estate, if a  
satisfactory adjustment is not reached.

**Rev. D. F. Howe the Speaker.**  
Preparations for Old Settlers' Day at  
Riverside Park, Thursday, August 16th,  
are being rapidly completed. It is prob-  
able that the old log court house built  
in 1829 will be shown entire at the meet-  
ing. It will be set up at the park. In  
the forenoon the principal address will  
be delivered by Rev. D. F. Howe. In the  
afternoon many of the oldest settlers  
will engage in the general talk, among  
them Frank Scott and E. A. Barnwell,  
besides a number of ladies. Everybody  
is cordially invited to attend the meet-  
ing and bring their baskets well filled.

**At the Baptist Church.**  
Two large congregations again greeted  
Rev. Will C. King, at the Baptist church,  
yesterday. The central thought of the  
morning sermon was the great things  
that God has stored away for those that  
serve and obey Him. In the evening  
Rev. King took the lives of Isaac, Esau  
and Jacob and drew from them some  
very practicable suggestions as to the  
purpose and conduct of life. Both ser-  
mons were of exceptional force and elo-  
quence, and Rev. King received many  
flattering compliments for his efforts.

**Pleasant for Her.**  
Mrs. Martha Golin, of Brown county,  
Kansas, earns a good deal of money as  
interpreter for Indian litigants. Her-  
self the daughter of an English-speaking  
Delaware father and a Pottawatomie  
mother, she has unusual qualifications for  
her work, and a superlatively has got  
abroad that the side, which retains her  
is sure to win.

**This Comes After Woven Glass.**  
A new dress fabric made of "peat  
fiber" is in contemplation, and the pos-  
sibility of using aluminum for making  
drapery goods is thought to be very  
practical, since it can be drawn into  
wires finer than a hair, and yet so fine  
and supple that they can be woven with  
silk. It has already been used for sil-  
kows.

### ILLINOIS COAL INDUSTRY

Official Statistics Gathered by the  
State Labor Bureau.

An interesting collection of figures on  
the coal industry of Illinois as presented  
in the twelfth annual report of the  
State Bureau of Labor Statistics, just  
published. The work shows that there  
are fifty-six counties in the state in  
which coal is mined, and that during the  
year 1914, 9,564,564 tons were taken out,  
the home value of this product being \$17,  
827,595. There were 1,775,211 tons ta-  
ken out by hand and 4,789,749 tons by  
machines. To do this required the ser-  
vices of 30,490 men. During the opera-  
tion 353,772 kegs of powder were used,  
sixty-nine men killed, thirty-two wives  
made widows and one hundred and six  
children made fatherless. During the  
year seventy new mines were opened and  
old ones reopened, and one hundred and  
twenty mines closed or abandoned. The  
report shows that machine mining is on  
the increase, this year's output exceed-  
ing last by 830,500 tons.

**A Dear Job for Chicago**  
Chicago will pay dearly for the friend-  
liness of her authorities towards Debs  
and his followers. The Illinois State  
legislature in 1887 passed an act, the  
first section of which reads as follows:

Whenever any building, or real or per-  
sonal property, except property in trans-  
it, shall be destroyed or injured in con-  
sequence of any such riot or disturbance  
of twelve or more persons, the city, or  
if not in a city, then the county in  
which such property was destroyed or  
shall be liable to an action by or in be-  
half of the party whose property was  
thus destroyed or injured, for three  
fourths of the damages sustained by  
reason thereof.

When order has been restored the  
bills will begin to come into Chicago,  
and Hopkins, Altgeld & Co. will not be  
forgotten.

**At a Cost of \$3,000.**  
The Decatur Brewing Co. has just  
added to its refrigerating capacity a  
new ice machine with a refrigerating  
capacity equal to the temperature repre-  
sented by the melting of twenty five  
tons of ice per day. This in addition to  
the ten ton refrigerating capacity which  
the brewery formerly had will enable  
the company to cool beer more promptly  
in the process of manufacture. This  
improvement represents an expenditure  
of about \$3,000.

**Money! Money!! Money!!!**  
We have plenty of money to loan, in  
large or small amounts, on all classes of  
security—chattels, real estate, collateral  
notes or individual security. Money ad-  
vanced on furniture, live stock, second  
mortgages on real estate, cattle, hogs  
and growing crops, also on watches, dia-  
monds, jewelry and loan association  
stock. Apply to Albert T. Summers,  
loan broker and private banker, 147  
North Water street, over A. W. Target  
store. 25 dkt a 25

A. M. CHAIDICK, who was formerly ap-  
pointed postmaster at Shelbyville and  
has received his commission, has con-  
cluded that he does not want the gov-  
ernment job. He has too much other  
business on hand. Besides being county  
treasurer he has taken the management  
of the Star Mills. He has sent in his  
resignation as postmaster. Now Capt.  
H. L. Hart, W. A. Trower, Geo. W.  
Keeler and H. M. Embury are candidates  
for postmaster.

**Wanted Horses.**  
We want some good driving horses in  
exchange for city property. Want two  
or three matched teams. Also want  
work horses of all sizes and ages. Will  
take same in trade for live vacant lots  
or improved property. Apply to W. Z.  
Walmaley, real estate agent, over Chip  
Charley's store. 26 dkt a 26

**To Make Pulled Bread.**  
Tear the crust from a part of a loaf of  
baker's bread. Now tear the crumb of  
the loaf into long, thin pieces. Spread  
the torn bread in a pan and put in a hot  
oven to become brown and crisp. It will  
take about fifteen minutes. Serve hot  
with cheese. Pulled bread is also nice  
with chocolate or coffee.

**Delicious Peach-Ice.**  
One quart of sliced ripe peaches, one  
and one-half gills of sugar, one and one-  
half pint of water. Boil the sugar and  
water until the syrup is reduced to one  
pint. Wash the peaches fine and rub  
through a strainer. Add the syrup to  
the strained fruit and freeze.

**Chinese Instead of Japanese**  
A new fad of society, women is a Chi-  
nese corner in the drawing room or li-  
brary. In it stands a cabinet of carved  
teakwood, holding all kinds of Chinese  
curios. Over it hangs curious pictures  
and beside it is a Canton screen, while a  
Thibetan divan flanks the whole.

**For Souvenir spoons**  
A novel design for a spoon is made  
from a silver dollar. The central por-  
tion is pressed down to form a shallow  
bowl and yet retain the circular shape  
of the dollar. To this bowl is attached  
a fancy handle.

**BARGAINS every day in the week at the**  
C. B. Prescott music house. See the  
celebrated Haines' upright pianos and  
Packard organs.

**Go to the Spencer & Lehman company**  
for wood pumps, iron pumps, force pumps  
and pump repairs. feb 6-dwt

**All the talk in the world will not con-  
vince you so quickly as one trial of De-  
Witt's Witch Hazel Salve for Sores,  
Barns, Bruises, Skin Affections, and  
Fleas. C. H. Dawson.**





MONDAY, JULY 30, 1894.

## TO HIS NAME.

All These Things Reflect Much Credit.

"Render Unto Caesar the Things Which are Caesar's."—A Word in Place—His Due.

Galesburg Daily Mail.

There are rare moments in the life of a newspaper man that are attended with pleasure. One of these is when he sees a dollar coming his way, and this kind of joy he seldom experiences. But there is another pleasure that comes to him in his work and that lies in being able to commend to the world good work well done by whomsoever it happens to be.

In these degenerate days this joy, too, is but seldom allotted him in any distinguished sense, and he seizes an opportunity along this line with eager avidity. Such a one is now afforded *The Mail* in commending the wonderful work that the great eye and ear specialist, Dr. W. O. Coffey, has accomplished in our city and county during the past two months. Dr. Coffey came here from Rock Island during the latter part of May, flushed with victories won in many a hard fought scientific battle in this city. We read of his phenomenal success, but believed it impossible and sailed incredulously when it was called to notice. The courteous manner and quiet business-like way of the doctor, however, commanded the respect of attention at once, and we awaited the result of his visit with aroused interest.

Dr. Coffey began "sawing wood" at once, and his wonderful cures soon attracted widespread attention. His waiting and operating rooms in the Union hotel were crowded, and the corridors all day long were filled with the suffering hundreds looking for relief in the magic of his skill and science. For six long weeks he labored faithfully at his post, and finding that he must have rest, took a two weeks' vacation in his southern home. Returning, he established himself at Brown's hotel, where the crowds that waited on him could be better cared for, and there for three weeks past he has continued his remarkable series of operations with uniform and gratifying success.

Through him cross-eyes have been straightened, blind eyes given sight, the dumb and deaf restored their wandering powers, and all sorts of other cures of greater or less importance made in never ending succession.

The presence of such a man in the community could not have but a marked influence, and Dr. Coffey has been a center of interest ever since he came. He has made many friends who will regret greatly to see him leave, as he goes to new fields of usefulness. In his work Dr. Coffey is most charitably inclined and has blessed many sufferers here at little or no cost. This fact has of itself been a prominent factor in his popularity, but his skill as a specialist, and his personal character has given him a wide-spread prestige throughout the community. It gives us pleasure to wish Dr. Coffey undiminished success wherever he goes, and we congratulate whatever city he visits.

## Sales of Real Estate.

W. J. Pegram to G. M. Moore, lot 14 in block A in Stapp's subdivision of Carver's addition to Decatur—\$1000.  
Adam Scott to Sarah B. Lee, a lot 00x 17 1/2 in the southeast corner of the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of 10, 1/2 east—\$1.  
William Florey to Mary E. Falconer, quit claim to tract of land in 24, 10, 2 east—\$1.00.  
J. H. Culver to Frank Reinfort, deed to lot 3, block 2, Wessels' addition; also 10 feet in width off the east side of lot 4, in said block—\$1.00.  
Adam Scott to Sarah B. Lee, quit claim to tract in 10, 1/2 east—\$1.00.  
J. W. Cannon to J. H. Culver, deed to lot 3, block 2, Wessels' addition; also 10 feet off the east side of lot 4, in said block—\$2500.  
W. H. Penninger to Bertram Jameson, deed to lot in block 5, May Bros. & Traver's subdivision—\$600.

## MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, Ill., July 30, 1894.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted to R. Z. Taylor, dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with correspondence in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis, for the following market quotations:

## WHEAT CLOSURE.

July wheat, 51 1/2; Sept., 48 1/2; Dec., 57 1/2.

## CORN CLOSURE.

July, 46 1/2; Sept., 45 1/2; May, 45 1/2.

## OATS CLOSURE.

July, 31; Aug., 29 1/2; Sept., 30 1/2; May, 34.

## PROVISIONS CLOSURE.

Pork—July, 22.80; Sept., 21.62 1/2.  
Lard—July, 16.00; Sept., 16.25 1/2.

## RIBS—JULY, 24 1/2; SEPT., 24.00 1/2.

## TODAY'S RECEIPTS—CATTLE.

Wheat—542, Estimated, 515; Last year, 120.  
Corn—417; Estimated, 410; Last year, 512.  
Oats—282; Estimated, 120; Last year, 308.

## RECEIPTS FOR TO-MORROW.

Wheat, 600; Corn, 475; Oats, 200; Hogs, 25,000.  
LIVEPOULTRY, 1 p. m.—Spot wheat steady and futures 1/4 higher. Maple, spot, firm.

Receipts were large at Minneapolis and Duluth, as compared to last year, as well as at Chicago.

Cattle receipts, 25,000; market slow.  
Hog receipts, 50,000; market more estimated. Market 1/2 to 3/4 lower. Live stock markets are extraordinary; largest receipts of hogs ever known—60,000. Never before did 70,000 head of live stock arrive in Chicago in one day. Estimated for to-morrow, 25,000.

## Thousands of People at the Prohibition Camp-Meeting on Sunday.

Excursionists Come From a Distance to Hear the Speakers and the Singing—Equal Suffrage Day.

The rain of Saturday night and the threatening state of the weather early Sunday morning served to interfere somewhat with the attendance at the National Prohibition Camp-meeting. Nevertheless the attendance all day was quite satisfactory, and those who were at the big tent were well entertained by the talk and singing. Visitors were present from Bloomington, Effingham, Champaign, Pana, Forrest and Litchfield.

The tent was filled in the forenoon when Rev. Gideon P. Macklin, of Ohio, gave a gospel temperance sermon in which he touched on religion in business and discussed the labor question. He said that every man should apply his religion to his business, and he emphasized the point that the liquor traffic, with heartless capital served to keep labor in a condition of slavery. Labor, he said, is at the mercy of these two evils—the liquor business and heartless capital. In case of strike trouble both will let labor starve until the strikers, who, because of their poverty and utter helplessness, are compelled to resume work. In Chicago in the stock yards district there are 400 organized saloons. They are organized with capital to oppress labor, and they succeed. It is the duty of every Christian to take a personal interest in politics, for the liquor traffic is endangering the foundations of the government.

In the afternoon there was another big crowd present, filling the tent, with many standing up on the outside. There was the usual song service by the Bement Warblers and the choir, with several pleasing solos by Miss Neal Hawkins. Manager Smith announced the attractions for the week, stating that Mrs. Helen Gougar will be at the camp Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Daisy H. Carlock, of Kentucky, gave a general address on temperance which commanded undivided attention and was enthusiastically approved.

Rolla Kirk Bryan, the Michigan "chalk talker," demonstrated his skill with the crayon by making a number of pictures which brought home better than words the influence of the rum power and the baleful effects of liquor drinking. Mr. Bryan, in connection with his illuminated illustrations, gave a lecture on the various points treated upon.

Sunday evening Rev. Macklin gave an address which was heard by a large audience.

The meeting at Oakland park this morning was something unusual in point of attendance and interest. It is generally understood that Monday meetings are the lightest of the week, but the pavilion was well filled at the 9.30 meeting. Col. Holt was in charge, and Rolla Kirk Bryan delighted the children with his chalk talk. Miss Hawkins gave some solos. At the close there was a fine military drill, nearly 200 children participating.

This is Equal Suffrage day. The headquarters of that organization is profusely decorated with sunflowers and the platform with flags, conspicuous among them one with two stars representing Colorado and Wyoming. The floral decorations are also fine.

At 11 o'clock free parliament for suffrage day was opened with a song followed by a number of speeches. Mrs. J. G. Shea, of Danville, called attention to the fact that the first public announcement that women could vote for trustees of the university was made from this platform by Miss Effie Henderson, of Bloomington, which put the ball rolling in this state. Mrs. Isabella Stafford, of Decatur, followed with a short talk.

T. M. Hobart, an equal suffragist for forty years, said that it is necessary to make the men believe that the women wish to vote, and convince the women that the men are willing that they should vote. He suggested that a petition signed by women asking for equal suffrage and the names of the men who are willing they should vote should be circulated and sent to the legislature.

Mrs. H. Martin of Bement said a few words.

Miss Mary V. Cole, of Eckstein's Norton University, of Cave Spring, Ky., made a neat speech.

Taken altogether it was the best morning meeting ever held on the ground.

This afternoon there will be speaking by Mrs. Rena Michael Atchison, Rolla Kirk Bryan, and Rev. Wilkins of Sullivan.

To-night Mrs. Atchison will speak on "The Perils of Un-American Immigration." Rolla Kirk Bryan will also give a chalk talk.

Children's meeting and drill to-morrow morning. Free parliament at 11; address at 2 p. m. by Mrs. Atchison. At night Mrs. Helen M. Barker, of Chicago, will speak.

This is Equal Suffrage day at the camp-meeting and the motto is "Make the World Better." Wednesday will be W. C. T. U. day.

## John Henry Smith, a Prominent Farmer, Shot and Killed James Kuykendall.

Saturday, about noon, John Henry Smith, of Farmer City, shot and killed at that place James Kuykendall, a former employee.

Smith conducts a farm near Farmer City and also retails coal in town. John Kuykendall, who recently came from Lancaster, Ky., with his family has been working for Smith and lived in one of Smith's houses on the farm. Some time ago Smith discharged him, but he still remained in the house, and intended to start for Kentucky Saturday evening. He had a settlement to make with Smith involving about two dollars, and he went to Smith's office for that purpose, and offered Smith his garden for the debt, stating he had only money enough to carry his family back to Kentucky. Smith refused to take the garden, whereupon Kuykendall said he would not let him sell it to any one else. This angered Smith, and he called him a liar and ordered him to move on. Kuykendall was in the road and refused to move, when Smith drew a revolver and fired, but missed; he fired again, and killed the man. Smith was sent to the Clinton jail, and the coroner's jury held him for murder. The citizens of Farmer City bought a casket for the body and gave the widow a purse of money and started the family for Kentucky that evening. There is no sympathy for the murderer. Smith once while under the influence of liquor tried to commit suicide. This was about ten years ago.

## Caused a Scare.

At about one o'clock this afternoon somebody sent in an alarm that the Furniture Factory was on fire, and as quickly as possible the entire fire department dashed to the factory, unreeled the hose, made connections and stood ready for action. But there was no fire, and no cause for the general alarm. In the shaving separator there had been a little fire, but it had been promptly extinguished long before the department arrived. A great crowd rushed to the factory, and all went back glad there was no fire.

## FOSTERING PATRIOTISM.

Summer Pilgrimage of University Students to Scenes of Patriotic Historical Interest.

PHILADELPHIA, July 29.—The spirit of patriotism and independence that freed the colonies from British rule is being re-kindled and fostered by the numerous native American orders, and now the teachings of the summer school of the University of Pennsylvania on American history are to be given practical illustrations in the same line.

George Washington assumed command of the continental army before Boston 119 years ago, and the event was celebrated in Independence hall yesterday morning by the students of the university extension school. About fifty men and women, students from seventeen different states, decided some time ago to make an historical pilgrimage to the different places made famous in the struggle against England. A gathering in Independence hall yesterday morning was the "outset of the pilgrimage."

The exercises were opened by an address by Hamton Carson, a lawyer of this city. Mr. Carson was followed by Prof. William P. Trent, of the university of the south, who reviewed the life of Washington and showed his strong impress upon the character of the government and the people. As the conclusion of Prof. Trent's address, the children filled the room of Independence hall. The site on which stood the building in which Thomas Jefferson drafted the Declaration of Independence was also visited. The students were addressed at the University of Pennsylvania by Talcott Williams on "Philadelphia's Contributions to Americanism."

To-day the pilgrim students will attend service at the Old Christ church, where Washington and other revolutionary heroes worshiped, and to-morrow morning the pilgrimage will begin. The pilgrims will leave here over the Pennsylvania railroad at 7:35 for New York, and thence they will go to Boston and visit the many historical points of interest in the old Bay State. They will return on August 5.

## Japan's Position in Korean Affairs.

YOKOHAMA, July 28.—A long statement has been sent out from an authoritative source explaining Japan's position. It is claimed that Japan has never gone beyond the rights given her by the treaty of 1885. The statement rehearses Japan's demands as presented to the government at Peking, and declares that if war results the policy of China will be answerable for it. "It is impossible," says the statement in conclusion, "to conjecture what caused China's attitude in the face of Japan's indisputable treaty rights."

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## Story of the Most Extraordinary Lawsuit on Record.

The Case Has Been in the Courts for Twenty Years, and the Costs and Judgments Amount to Thirty Thousand Dollars.

The "Jones county calf case" will vex the souls of coming Blackstones for a century. It is the "Jarndyce vs. Jarndyce," of America, and by comparison with it the Mera Clarke Gaines case pales its ineffectual fires. The heirs of Anneke Jans would be happy could they divide the mere court costs in the Jones county calf case. The map of Iowa has been devastated by this insidious litigation, and boys have grown to be men and lawyers, too, since it began its infective career. For a score of years the readers of American newspapers have been in the habit of seeing, here and there, at sporadic intervals and in unlooked-for connections, mysterious allusions to the great "Jones county calf case," and with mystical geniuses have ever and anon blanched before its involved accounts and gone driving to fantastic asylums after vainly attempting to compute its costs and accept its results.

Exaggeration? By no means. I have taken pains to gather at first hand from the plaintiff, who is now the victorious party from Jones county officials and from other quarters, the facts of this singular story now set forth to the public for the first time. There is no stranger chapter in the annals of American law. The plaintiff himself writes me: "Some of the best farmers in Jones county lost all their property long ago in lawing this case. Then their children and friends took it up and fought it as long as they could. It is still pending!" And it has long since passed from the condition of a neighborhood scandal to the magnificent proportions of a national curiosity.

This is how it came about—Robert Johnson, an Ohio boy, of Virginia stock, went to farming in 1858 in Jones county, Ia. In 1874 Farmer Johnson, of Greene county, came to Johnson and said he wanted to buy some calves. A man named Smith, a stranger thereabouts, who has since succeeded in concealing himself from observation, must have heard of this; he went to Johnson and sold him five small dark calves, which on June 4, 1874, Johnson delivered to Potter. Just then Farmer John Foreman, of Jones county, discovered that five calves had disappeared from his farm. He had seen Johnson drive five calves away to deliver to Potter, but made no inquiry about the matter until afterward. Farmer Peter Ontott saw Farmer Johnson deliver the five small dark calves to Drower Potter. When Farmer Foreman missed his calves he followed Drower Potter to Greene county, Ia., and found his missing property in Potter's herd. Potter said he had bought from Johnson the calves which Foreman now identified as his own. So Foreman went back to Jones county and demanded from Johnson the value of his missing calves, which Johnson, though an innocent man, gave to Foreman in the shape of a note for \$45.

Johnson then tried to find the mysterious villain Smith, intending, no doubt, to make Smith give him (Johnson) a note for forty-five dollars, but Smith had vanished. Determined to have satisfaction somehow, Johnson, who was then only thirty odd years of age, took a jaunt out to Greene county, and on being shown by Potter the calves which Farmer Foreman had claimed as his missing property, swore that he (Johnson) had never sold those calves to Potter and that he would not pay the forty-five dollar note he had given to Foreman.

Mr. Foreman then concluded that it was time for him to take another lead in the game. He was fairly pining for the excitement of a lawsuit. He sent word to Potter that if he (Potter) did not institute criminal proceedings against Johnson, he (Foreman) would invoke the majesty of the criminal court against him (Potter). So Potter went all the way to Jones county again, joined the Anti-Horse-Thief association and succeeded in having the unfortunate Johnson indicted for the larceny of forty-five dollars worth of calves. The mysterious villain named Smith still remained in abeyance. This was in December, 1874. Now comes fun.

The indictment was quashed in May, 1875. In December, 1875, a new indictment was found and a change of venue to Cedar county was secured by Johnson. In 1876 there was a trial, and the jury stood eleven to one for acquitting Johnson. Then there was another trial and Johnson was acquitted. Farmer Peter Ontott testifying that the calves Foreman claimed from Potter were not the calves Johnson had sold to Potter, and that Potter knew it, and had even admitted it, but he advised Farmer Ontott to keep his mouth shut, which Farmer Ontott would under no circumstances agree to do.

"Heighho," said Farmer Johnson to himself after hearing Farmer Ontott testify: "let us have more law." So he began an action for ten thousand dollars damages in Anamosa, Linn county, against seven prominent members of the Anti-Horse-Thief association. A verdict for three thousand dollars was rendered in Johnson's favor, but the judge, probably hating to see a leading calf case spoiled, as it were, set the verdict aside. The defendants were anti-horse thieves, as follows: E. V. Miller, David Fall, John Foreman, Ab Miller, Harmon Keller and S. D. Potter. They were real glad the judge felt that he had charged the jury wrong. When there was another trial the hands were voted for a change of venue, and more juries and more trials, but they moved the Jones county calf case to the town of Clinton, in Clinton county, Ia., and so, the jury assessed seventy-five hundred dollar damages in Johnson's favor. The Clinton coun-

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## UTTERLY WIPED OUT

The Town of Phillips, Wis., Destroyed by Fire.

### THREE THOUSAND PEOPLE HOMELESS.

Nearly Eight Hundred Houses Burned—Sixteen Human Beings Known to Have Perished—Aid from Surrounding Towns Pouring In.

A Scene of Utter Desolation—After the Fire.

PHILLIPS, Wis., July 29.—At day-break to-day smoke covered an area of 100 miles square. About 3,500 people have fled into the forests or to the villages near by. The town this morning was a smoldering heap of ruins and the smoke was so dense that the headlight of a locomotive could not be seen fifty feet away. Three relief trains reached Phillips soon after 6 o'clock this morning. One was in charge of Gov. George W. Peck and his staff. The second came from Stevens Point in charge of Frank Lameaux and Crosby Grant, and the third from Marshfield in charge of Maj. W. H. Upham, republican nominee for governor.

As soon as he arrived Gov. Peck called his staff together and directed the work of unloading the provisions. There were several car loads of food and a warehouse was opened in one of the few buildings that are left standing in the town. Through the dense smoke Gov. Peck made his way and found two heavy walls that marked the place where the two banks had stood. On inquiry it was learned that the vaults of the banks contained \$52,000, and Gov. Peck immediately swore in a dozen men to guard the money in the vaults. They were armed with Winchester rifles and ordered to remain on duty in two shifts day and night.

The loss by the conflagration in its entirety is difficult to estimate. Out of 900 buildings in the town only thirty-seven remain. B. W. Davis, of the Davis Lumber Co., estimates the total loss at \$1,500,000, with scarcely half that amount covered by insurance. The Davis Lumber Co. lost \$500,000, fully insured. The next highest loss is that of the Fayette-Shaw Tannery Co., operating one of the largest tanneries in the United States. The tannery was destroyed with its stock, aggregating a loss of nearly \$200,000. The Blatz Brewing Co. of Milwaukee, had a distributing depot here which was destroyed with a loss of \$3,000.

There is no way of estimating the number of lives lost in the fire, and even after forty-eight hours have passed no one can be found who ventures an opinion of the loss of life. When the people fled before the wave of fire they became separated, and can give no account of each other. It is known that sixteen persons perished on the raft that burned in the bayou. A bridge or trestle crossed the bayou, and when the supports of this bridge burned away it fell. Women and children were crossing at the time, and some must have perished.

The charred body of Anton Flenzer can be seen in the wreck of a brick chimney. The man was attempting to carry his trunk from a burning dwelling, when the brick chimney fell on him, crushing out his life.

As the fire swept towards the bridge a number of children were seen to take refuge in the big lumber yard. Their cries were heard by others who fled towards the water, but the children have never been found.

Of the sixteen persons who lost their lives on the raft that burned in the bayou eight are yet in the water. The body of Frank Clies, the machinist, was found under a pile of driftwood at noon to-day. The bodies of his wife and children were recovered afterwards. Dynamite was exploded all day in the bayou, and a number of bodies were raised by this means. Jim Lock's body was brought to the surface. He was the butcher who was drowned with his child in his arms.

The true story of the launching of this ill-fated raft has never been told. The only man who tells a comprehensive narrative of the horror is Joseph Bollen, a lumberman. He was standing near a boathouse when a number of women and children came toward him. There were three or four men following. They went to the raft and attempted to push it from the shore when it caught fire. Some jumped into small boats and others remained on the raft. All perished, as the boats were overloaded and sank. The raft burned to the water's edge.

The local relief committee has issued a statement to the public thanking the generous citizens of the state for their liberal contributions.

### A SUMMARY

Of the Damage Done by the Fire Flood at Phillips, Wis., and Surrounding Towns.

ASHLAND, Wis., July 29.—The latest advice from Phillips, Wis., state that the prosperous city is simply a heap of ruins and ashes. Everything is totally wiped out. The damage to property will probably reach \$1,500,000. The people had to fly from their homes to escape being burned. Many crossed over the bridge and walked to Fildfield. Scores slept last night without food out in the open air, left to the tender mercies of neighboring cities to send them assistance. This is being done as rapidly as possible.

The destruction at Mason was reported as being total, but later advice is that the plant of the White River Lumber Co., together with the yards and four or five houses were burned. Houses at Ashland proper are still standing. The loss will probably reach about \$700,000 at Mason. Trains on the Omaha road were headed off at Mason by the burning of the

bridge near there, and all coming north returned to Spooner.

To briefly summarize, the fires have burned as follows:

The city of Phillips, entirely wiped out; the city of Mason, practically destroyed, with the White River Lumber Co., and 30,000,000 feet of lumber, headquarters of the Ashland Lumber Co. near Short's Crossing, entirely wiped out; a special train of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha, consisting of sixteen cars and two locomotives, all burned, broke through the burning bridge near Ashland Junction; the camps of the Thompson Lumber Co., burned at White River; two bridges on the main line of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railroad, one near Ashland Junction and one near Mason; two bridges on the Wisconsin Central, one at Chelsea and the other at Phillips, both on the main line south of Ashland.

Several parties of berry pickers from Ashland narrowly escaped with their lives, and it is almost certain that some of the lone homesteaders have perished unless they have in some marvelous way escaped through the smothering flames and smoke. About noon refugees and other homesteaders began to arrive at Ashland.

### PROMPT ASSISTANCE

Rendered to the Destitute and Homeless Citizens of Phillips, Wis.

MILWAUKEE, July 29.—The total destruction by fire of the prosperous town of Phillips, in Price county, as a result of the devastating forest fires during the week, has brought quick and generous responses to the appeals for succor from all parts of the Badger state to-day. The bare news that 3,000 men, women and children had been suddenly rendered homeless and destitute of the necessities of existence was sufficient to awake practical expressions of sympathy, in which the state authorities and the business men of Milwaukee were leaders.

The Elk river, which runs through Phillips, afforded a haven of refuge to many of the inhabitants. The destruction of Phillips was followed by the prayed-for rain, which soon quenched the forest fires along the Northern Pacific, Omaha & South Shore roads, between West Superior and Ashland, as well as the destructive conflagrations to the south on the line of the Wisconsin Central and in the Michigan peninsula on the Gogebic range region. Fifteen carloads of provisions, clothing and tents were either in the hands of the Phillips victims to-night or will be to-morrow. The reports from Mason, in Bayfield county, and Short's crossing, which were partly burned, show that the people are not in want of the necessities of life.

### AN IOWA TOWN IN ASHES.

Sixty Business Houses and Several Dwelling in Belle Plaine Destroyed by Fire.

BELLE PLAINE, Ia., July 29.—The cry of fire was heard throughout the town late yesterday afternoon. The citizens soon had the fire apparatus out, but owing to the engines steaming slowly the flames, which had started in the roof of a livery stable and were fanned by a strong west wind, had leaped across the street to the business part of the city, and were soon beyond the control of the firemen.

It was impossible to stop the spread of the flames with the apparatus at hand and telegrams were sent to Cedar Rapids and Tama, but by 9 o'clock the entire business portion of the town with the exception of three buildings was in ashes.

In all over sixty buildings and business concerns were burned out, with a loss of \$450,000, with \$150,000 insurance. Several dwellings and their contents were also destroyed. The Burley house is the only hotel left standing, and it was saved only by a fortunate change of the wind. So far as known no one was killed and but few injured. This is a severe blow to Belle Plaine, and it is a grave question whether it will ever be rebuilt completely.

Awful Forest Fires in Washington State. KENOSHA, Wash.—The settlers of the Slocum district have been left without shelter or food by the awful forest fires which have been raging throughout the mountains of this district, causing a loss estimated at \$150,000. A relief party has gone to the scene of suffering, but it is feared they will be too late to prevent much privation. The ill-fated towns had been surrounded by flames for days, but a roaring gale carried burning brands high in the air and started fires in other places. In an instant a dozen fires were raging on Three Forks. The total loss there is \$65,000. The people had to flee for their lives into the nearest water. The loss at Bear Lake is \$25,000. It is almost certain that there has been loss of life.

The Business Portion of Brooklyn, La., Wiped Out.

DES MOINES, Ia., July 29.—The business portion of the little city of Brooklyn, located on the Rock Island road in Poweshiek county, was wiped out by fire early yesterday morning. Seventeen buildings, nearly all brick, were destroyed before the flames were checked by the Grannell fire department, which came on a special train. The fire originated in an unknown manner in the basement of Woods & Kelly's furniture store. The loss will reach \$135,000; insurance, \$75,000.

Nine Buildings Destroyed.

CHILTON, Wis., July 29.—Fire destroyed nine buildings at Hilbert yesterday morning, including the St. Paul depot. The high wind blowing threatened the destruction of the town. Assistance was rendered by the firemen of this city.

A Profound Strike Declared Off.

IRONWOOD, Mich., July 29.—The miners' strike on the Gogebic Range was declared off yesterday after an idleness of six weeks and loss to the workings of \$260,000, and an additional tax to the county of \$60,000. The militia will leave here to-day.

## THE COMING WEEK

May Witness Some Agreement on the Tariff Question.

### TO BE FOLLOWED BY FURTHER DEBATE

Brief or Protracted According to the Nature of the Congress Report—The Appropriation Bills in a Fair Way to be Disposed Of.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—The torrid heat is aiding the tariff compromisers. Extremists find their obstinacy waning with their shirt collars. Senator Jones, who has had the laboring oar on the tariff bill on the senate side ever since it left the house, is fairly confident that an agreement of some sort will be reached this week. Whether the debate which will then follow will be brief or indefinitely protracted will depend entirely upon the nature of the report presented by the conferees.

Omitting the tariff bill from the calculations as to what may take place there is every indication that the end of the week will see all the appropriation bills safely out of the way. Mr. Cockrell, chairman of the senate committee on appropriations, expects to get the sundry civil bill—that vehicle which carries everything that is not otherwise provided for—out of the committee room by to-morrow night to be reported Tuesday morning. He will call it up at once for consideration. He expects that he can follow the sundry civil with it when needed. This will complete the appropriation bills and leave the senate free to discuss tariff or to threaten adjournment if delays are interposed.

It may be that the Chinese treaty will get its day in court, but there does not appear to be much interest in treaties just now, and this particular treaty seems to have more active enemies than friends.

Drifting is the only word that will now accurately describe the condition of affairs in the house of representatives. All of the business which the managers feel it is in anywise essential for record purposes to pass at this session of congress has already been disposed of, and they are now simply waiting on the conference committees to give them an opportunity to settle the differences between the two branches over those measures upon which the house has already once passed.

No programme has been arranged for this week further than that Wednesday will be devoted to the Moore-Funkston contested election case. Moore is a democrat seeking to get Funkston's seat, and the majority of the committee have reported in his favor.

A meeting of the committee on rules will be held this morning to decide what committees shall have the sessions of to-day and to-morrow for their own business. The Indian and naval committees will probably be the favored ones. The other days in the week will be apportioned later, if it shall then be found desirable to continue the policy of parcelling out the time.

The programme is always subject to interruption by conference reports, and there are appropriation bills, beside the tariff bill, which are likely at any time to come in and vary the proceedings.

### A TEMPORARY CLOSE

Of Proceedings Against Debs et al. Under the Bill Filed July 2.

CHICAGO, July 29.—Proceedings against Debs et al. in the United States circuit court here under the bill filed July 2, in behalf of railroads represented in the General Managers' association, were brought to a sudden and temporary close yesterday by an order from Judge Woods, who is now in Indianapolis. Debs and others appealed from the chancery proceeding to the United States circuit court of appeals, in which proceedings in the injunction was issued by Judges Woods and Grosscup. The appeal has been granted, and Judge Woods' order checks further movement, but does not interfere in any way in the matters of contempt.

Bond of appellants was fixed by Judge Woods at \$500. The grounds on which the appeal was asked were that the bill for injunction was not signed in the name of the attorney general of the United States; that the bill was not supported by proper affidavits; that the subject-matter of the bill were insufficient to support an injunction; and that a court of equity could not rightly take cognizance of the things stated in the bill.

In the case of the American Railway union, the same prayer was presented, and the whole case, including Debs and his brother officers and the union will go to the court of appeals as soon as bond is filed.

The application for the appeal was made by Attorney Gregory in a letter to Judge Woods written three days ago.

Three Men Killed by a Boiler Explosion.

SHEKANDON, Pa., July 29.—By an explosion of a boiler in a heat of six at Packer's No. 4 colliery of the Lehigh Valley Coal Co. Saturday night, one man was instantly killed, two so badly hurt that they have since died and one seriously burned.

The cause of the explosion is not known. The boilers were in the engine room and had been inspected Saturday and the men were engaged in making the steam pipe fittings and getting ready to fire up when the explosion occurred. The men were buried in every direction and the boiler house was wrecked by the force of the explosion. Miller was instantly killed and shield and Laubeck so badly burned that they died yesterday.

## TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—The business portion of Bonaparte, Ia., was destroyed by fire Friday night, entailing a loss of nearly \$80,000.

—On Saturday the banks of New York held \$71,904,721 in excess of the requirements of the 25-per-cent rule.

—The six companies of state troops and the Gatling gun detachment, stationed at Hammond, Ind., were ordered home Saturday.

—Vice-President Stevenson left his home in Bloomington, Ill., Saturday morning for Washington. He had been home about a week.

—Mayor Rice of Cleveland, O., a large owner in western railroads, fell down a flight of stairs at the Coleman house, Asbury Park, N. J., and broke his arm.

—The work of bringing about an agreement on the tariff bill began in earnest Saturday morning at a private and informal conference between the conferees of the senate and the house.

—Half a hundred of Jeffries' Seattle Coxeyites are in the Ravens (O.) county jail on warrants sworn out by W. D. Armstrong, agent of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., for trespass.

—Senator Perry Anderson, of Alexis, Ill., died suddenly Saturday morning. Deceased was a republican state senator in the last Illinois general assembly, being elected four years ago from the old twenty-seventh senatorial district.

—Representative Springer has prepared a call for a caucus of the house democrats for to-morrow, at 2 p. m., to consider what action shall be taken regarding the tariff bill, in the event no agreement has been reached by the conferees by that time.

—Andrew Carnegie, in an interview published in the London Engineering Review, is quoted as saying that he does not think that the United States now requires protection, which he claims is of little use for revenue purposes, as manufactured imports have fallen so low.

—The weekly statement of the New York associated banks, issued Saturday, shows the following changes: Reserve, decrease, \$2,209,875; loans, decrease, \$1,109,000; specie, decrease, \$401,900; legal tenders, decrease, \$3,078,400; deposits, decrease, \$5,081,700; circulation, decrease, \$109,000.

—Joseph O. Curry, late president of the defunct Chemical national bank of Chicago, stands accused in a bill filed by Receiver Eli C. Tourtelot of wrongfully converting to his own use large sums of money, and with gross carelessness in making big loans to insolvent borrowers.

—The guards at Tracy City, Tenn., watched the mouth of the mines closely all Friday night, and Saturday morning at an early hour the seventy convicts who had remained in the mines after the inspection of Friday appeared, and were without trouble taken into custody.

—The steamer Empress of India, Capt. Marshall, arrived at Vancouver, B. C., Friday afternoon, eleven days out from Yokohama. In her cabin was Lieut. Cox, U. S. N., the flag lieutenant of the United States steamship Baltimore, right from Seoul, Korean capital, on his way home.

—Supt. Campbell of the Burlington, whose division extends through Nebraska, declares it will be necessary to ship corn into many counties of that state this year in order that the farmers may live another season. Hundreds of square miles of the finest-looking corn lands dry and lifeless on account of the drought. Reports from the lines of the Union Pacific, Rock Island, Missouri Pacific and Santa Fe are of the same tenor.

### OIL TANK WORKS BURNED.

A Laborer Instantly Killed—His Wife Expires from Shock on Hearing the News.

FOUR WAYNE, Ind., July 29.—The big oil tank works of S. F. Bowser & Co. in this city, were totally destroyed by fire last night, entailing a loss of \$100,000, and throwing nearly 100 men out of employment. The fire was discovered in the immense warehouse, which was stored with a great quantity of inflammable material. In a short time it communicated to the workshop, which was soon wrapped in flames.

From the start the fire was beyond all control, and in an hour the whole establishment was in ruins. The insurance amounts to about \$20,000. The works will be at once rebuilt.

Frank Wagner, a laborer, was instantly killed by picking up a broken telephone wire, which had fallen across an electric trolley wire. When his wife, who was in poor health, heard of the death of her husband she was completely prostrated, and soon expired.

Baseball.

The following games were played Saturday:

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 19; Chicago, 13.

At Baltimore—Baltimore, 8; Baltimore, 4.

At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 9; Washington, 5.

At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh, 8; Cleveland, 0.

At Philadelphia—New York, 11; Philadelphia, 10.

At St. Louis—Louisville, 8; St. Louis, 4.

At St. Louis—First Game—St. Louis, 13; Louisville, 2. Second Game—Louisville, 9; St. Louis, 2.

At Cincinnati—Chicago, 16; Cincinnati, 9.

A Negro Woman with an Arterio-Sclerotic Brain.

MOXMOOTH, Ill., July 29.—Blanch Turner, a young colored woman of Moxmooth, becoming weary of life, attempted suicide in this city yesterday. She placed the muzzle of a revolver to her forehead and pulled the trigger. An explosion followed, but no loss of life, as the bullet was found on the surface of the skull, flattened like a pancake. The woman will not die.

# REDUCING STOCK.

Yes, we are going to Reduce our Stock all this month by selling goods that we have too many of at greatly reduced prices.

All Summer Goods Must Go Regardless of Cost.

\$1.00 quality Henrietta at 68c this week.

Other Wool Novelty Dress Goods at 25, 35 and 48c a yard.

Umbrellas at \$1.48.

One lot of Ladies' Sun Umbrellas, worth \$2.00, cut to \$1.48, twilled silk.

Men's Shirts at 48c.

Men's Work Shirts, worth 75c, cut to 48c. See them.

Men's Night Shirts at 48c, 65c and 75c—all reduced in prices.

Corset Stock.

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75c Corsets cut to 50c.

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75c Summer Corsets cut to 50c.

35c Silk Mids cut to 25c.

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One lot best all Wool Ingrain Carpets

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Other Ingrain at 25, 35, 50 and 48c.

Mattings at 10, 15, 25 and 35c.

Shoes.

All Oxfords for Ladies must go this month.

Prices 95c, \$1.15, 1.25, 1.48 and 1.75.

Men's Shoes at \$1.25, 1.50, 1.75, 2.00 and 2.50.

Linen Stock.

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75c Table Linen cut to 48c.

85c Table Linen cut to 55c.

50c Table Linen cut to 35c.

35c Towels cut to 25c.

25c Towels cut to 15c.

20c Towels cut to 12 1/2c.

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It is always fair for a purchaser to ask 'Why should I trade with so and so?' So far as we are concerned our answer is this:

Price  
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## SENATORIAL CONVENTION.

The Republicans of the various counties comprising the First Senatorial District of Illinois are hereby invited to send delegates to a convention to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur, Illinois, at one o'clock p. m. on Friday, August 3, 1894 for the purpose of nominating a candidate for State Senator and two candidates for the House of Representatives, and of transacting such other business as may legitimately come before said convention.

The basis of representation and the number of delegates to which each county in the district is entitled will be the same as that fixed for the State convention to be held at Springfield July 23, as follows:

Christian County	10 Delegates
Macou County	5
Monticello	4
Total	19

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THOMAS D. NEE, a few days ago Michael Gambetta, an uncle of the statesman Gambetta. He was 80 years old. His death is said to have been due to the too sudden announcement of the murder of President Carnot. With him the famous name is said to have died out.

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D. W. Fuller, of Conquahara, N. Y., says that he always keeps Dr. King's New Discovery in the house, and his family has always found the very best results follow its use; that he would not be without it, if procurable. G. A. Dykeman, druggist, Catskill, N. Y., says that Dr. King's New Discovery is undoubtedly the best Cough remedy that he has used in his family for eight years, and it never failed to give relief. He claims for it why not try a remedy so long tried and tested? Trial bottles free at King & Hubbard's drug store. Regular size 50c and \$1.00.

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It is proposed to erect at Lebanon, Pa., a memorial over the grave of John Casper Hoover, who was one of the first German Lutheran ministers to be ordained in America. He was buried at the old Hill church, north-west of Lebanon, more than one hundred years ago.

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### The New Spring Hats

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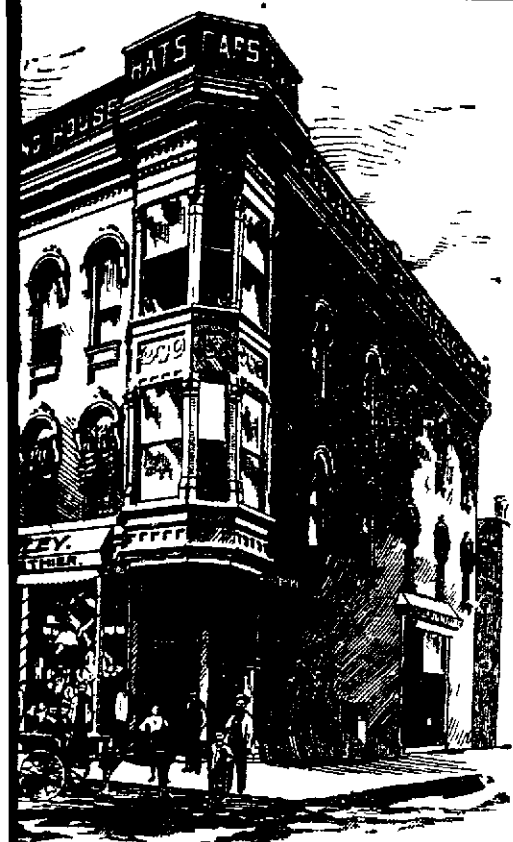
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at..... 12 1/2c yd  
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regular 35c quality, at..... 18c yd  
Only one case of Challies, at..... 2c yd  
Boxes of Standard Apron Gingham, at..... 5c yd  
1 case of Chiffonette Wash Dress Goods, at 5c yd  
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### STOLE TWO RIGS.

Logan Curtis, a Bad Boy from Sunnyside, Did the Work.

Sunday afternoon Logan Curtis, aged 10 years, son of George Curtis, whose home is in the Sunnyside addition northwest of the city, made a reputation for himself that is not commendable by stealing two separate rigs and taking a free ride about the city. Mrs. Amos T. Davis of West Macon street, drove to the camp-meeting at Oakland park Sunday afternoon and hitched the pony to the fence. Logan Curtis came along and appropriated the rig, driving to the city alone. On the way he picked up a little girl to give her a ride, telling her he was going to Riverside park. The boy came east on Wood street. Near the corner of South Main and Wood streets he saw another rig he wanted. It was the property of O. J. Wray, a farmer who resides four miles southwest of Decatur. Logan got the girl to hold the horse while he got the Wray rig. Then he led the Wray horse and drove off to Riverside. On the way he picked up two more little girls to give them a ride. Turning a corner near Riverside Place a wheel of the Wray buggy was torn off by coming in contact with a hitching post. The buggy could go no further, and Logan unhitched the horse and was driving along with the three girls and leading the Wray horse, when Deputy Sheriff Sam Holmes, who was on the trail of the boy, came upon him and took him in charge. The kid protested that he was the owner of the horses and buggies, and promptly gave his name. The three little girls got out of the buggy and scattered. Holmes looked around for them but they had scattered and scampered off for parts unknown.

Mrs. Davis and Mr. Wray had been looking for their property, and the first clue to the rigs was given by Mayor Moffett, who had seen the boy and girl drive past the Hotel Brunswick. Deputy Holmes heard the conversation and he got on a street car and quickly located the boy off before he reached Riverside. After his arrest the Curtis boy said he lived on South Monroe street. Holmes drove in that direction and when passing Joe Michl's house on South Union street the boy insisted that he lived there. There was no one at home, and while Holmes was making inquiries in the neighborhood young Curtis whipped the Mrs. Davis pony and tried his best to escape. Holmes had to get in his best work as a sprinter to overtake the kid and he did it. The drive was resumed to the last house on South Monroe street where the boy claimed that he lived. On reaching that point it was found that Wayne Downing occupied the property. Nevertheless the boy claimed that he lived there and that Downing did not.

All this made Deputy Holmes very tired, and he told the kid that he would take him back to jail. Holmes thought he knew the horse he was driving, but could not place it. Coming back to Macon street, he passed the Davis place, and stopped there to learn that it was the Davis horse and buggy he had.

The boy was then taken to the jail where he finally gave his place of residence as being in Sunnyside Addition. He was taken there and turned over to his father.

Mrs. Davis lost a piece of carpet and the front rain apron for her buggy, and Mr. Wray, besides having his buggy damaged to the extent of \$15, lost a cloth coat and a rubber coat, both worth \$10.

Mr. Wray stated this forenoon that he intended to have the boy prosecuted.

A Cowardly Murder.

Bud Burns, one of the new engineers on the Chicago & Eastern Illinois, was shot in the yards at Danville junction about 10 o'clock Sunday forenoon. Burns was on a freight run, and had just come in, and was taking his engine to the round house. Seven shots were fired, only one of which took effect, entering his side near the back. Just after the shooting two men were seen running from the place, but further than this the police have no clue as to the guilty parties. Burns was 35 years old, and came from the "Q" road. His residence was in New York.

Supreme Court Decision.

The supreme court of the State of Illinois has lately rendered a decision whose effect may stand for a precedent. It has ruled that bicycles cannot be licensed to use sidewalks, as they are specified as vehicles and in case damages resulting from accident, the city issuing license would be liable for the bill. The bicycle is a vehicle, and to obtain acknowledgment of this fact from the courts has cost the League of American Wheelmen much money and effort. In the light of this fact we cannot see how the Supreme Court of Illinois can be wrong.

A \$2,500 Residence.

Work was commenced this morning on the foundation for Dr. Frank Swearingen's new home in Millikin Place. The residence will be two stories with all modern improvements, and it will be ready for occupancy about the middle of October. The residence will cost \$2,500.

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### Convention Echoes.

The Democratic county convention held last Saturday to nominate a county ticket was a ringing success. It did not present the spirit of a convention that expected to sweep the country or cause a panic in the ranks of the opposition. There was nothing of the sort about it that characterized past Democratic conventions when the leaders thought they had a "hen on" to fool the people. There was no farmer's movement to "right the wrong," and no labor movements that the leaders felt they could bank on, and the absence of these things produced cold storage for Democratic enthusiasm. Then to add to their distress the Democratic party has been on record for nearly two years, and that record is bad in every way. The convention passed resolutions reaffirming the principles of the party as announced in the Democratic national platform of 1892, when they knew that none of these principles have been carried out and that there is no effort to carry them out.

But the boss delegates had one little scheme, to wit: to leave the place open for county clerk, that the faithful might vote for a Republican for that office to defeat the regular Republican nominee. But this scheme produced a whirlwind which carried the schemers off their feet. Delegate Gray declared he would vote for the regular Republican nominee before he would vote for a bolter. Delegate Bragg said he had a sublime contempt for "half-breeds" and would not vote for any such people, and the Ninth district announced that unless there was a full Democratic ticket nominated the Democrats of that district would bolt the whole ticket. These sentiments were loudly cheered.

While Mr. Gray insisted that he would not vote for a bolter and some other delegate yelled that he was tired of the Democratic plan of borrowing Republicans to run on Democratic tickets. Mr. Gray announced that he had positive knowledge that George P. Hardy would run independent in any event, which insured the election of a Democrat for county clerk if one were nominated. This aroused Democratic hope and there were more cheers, and resulted in the nomination of Straight-Out Democrat A. O. Bolten.

The logic of all this is that they expect Mr. Hardy to become an independent candidate in the interest of the Democratic nominee, and that the Democrats will support Bolten and the Republicans will split up between Dadd and Hardy. This is not a very modest expectation, but it has got into the Democratic cranium, just the same. There is nothing equal to it except Grover Cleveland's expectation that President Dole would relinquish the provisional Hawaiian government as soon as Minister Willis should show him Grover's picture.

Something of the enthusiasm that pervades the average Democratic breast may be figured out of the fact that the great Democratic district, the Tenth, that Webster once thought he owned, was not represented in the convention, and Mr. Webster himself was conspicuously absent.

There were a great many amusing things in the proceedings, of which a few are worthy of note. After the judge, the clerk and the sheriff had been nominated from Decatur M. R. Kizer, a delegate from Niantic arose and very deliberately and sarcastically said: "If you have any more candidates from Decatur trot them out."

There were a great many speakers and a delegate from Austin cried out in despair: "Oh, quit this spread-eagle business; shut it off; let us country men participate in the proceedings and get through."

Robert I. Hunt, who was for Wheeler for sheriff, had occasion to leave the hall and gave his proxy to I. A. Buckingham, with instructions to vote once for Wheeler. Having done this Mr. Buckingham, who was a Paris man, on the next ballot voted Hunt for Paris. This created a commotion, which resulted in calling Hunt back to the convention, and just as the chair was about to take the sense of the convention as to whether the vote for Hunt should stand for Paris Mr. Hunt entered the room, and dramatically thrusting his umbrella skyward cried out: "Mr. Hunt votes for Wheeler now and forever." At this all the Wheeler men cheered as if the country had been saved by this one act.

Johnny Perl was not a delegate, and when nominations for sheriff were called for Johnny suggested "Squire Fagis of Niantic," but upon inquiry the clerk found Johnny was not a delegate, and did not entertain his suggestion. Johnny also tried his hand on Judge Nelson; but it was regarded by the chair as a mistake. After Delegate Bragg had declared he could name a candidate, A. O. Bolten, for clerk who is a Democrat and who will make the race if nominated, Mr. Shipley said: "If Mr. Bolten will make the race I will withdraw my resolution." To this Democracy replied: "I never told a lie about Bolten."

The speech of M. C. Griffin naming J. N. Donahay for superintendent of schools was the capstone of the entire proceedings. The concluding strain was: "In the name of truth, in the name of a man who has put his soul into his work, heaven and on earth I name J. N. Donahay." If Mr. Donahay is known in heaven he may have a shining crown, but if Bragg's stance ever reached the golden gates in advance of the speech Donahay's name will not be in the heavenly ballot.

### MOTHER AND DAUGHTER.

Bishop-Nicholson Trouble Again Up in Court.

The noted case of Mrs. Docia Bishop vs. Mrs. Leota Nicholson is now engaging the attention of Judge Vail in the circuit court. The argument of the attorneys is on the demurrer to the bill recently filed by Mrs. Bishop against her daughter. Mrs. Nicholson represents Mrs. Nicholson and L. D. Walker and C. C. Leflore appear for Mrs. Bishop.

It will be recalled that in the first bill filed by Mrs. Nicholson against her mother which opened the litigation it was represented that in the sale of property, the signing of deeds and the destruction of a note for \$3,000, Mrs. Bishop, the mother, became possessed of property worth at least \$15,000, which was alleged rightfully belonged to the daughter. These transactions were effected before the marriage of the daughter to Mr. Nicholson. After the filing of the bill mutual friends interposed and brought about a settlement of the litigation which at the time was regarded as satisfactory to all parties in interest. And it was thought that the pleasant family relations, which had been broken off by the suit, had been resumed.

But in a few months Mrs. Bishop filed her bill demanding that the settlement effected by the compromise or agreement be set aside. This is the suit now pending in court.

The outcome will be watched with considerable interest by the public who are more or less familiar with the peculiar complications in the case.

Edward O. Smith et al. vs. Katherine S. Smith et al. partition, receiver's report approved and heirs ordered to interplead by Oct. 15 of next term of court.

William W. Law et al. vs. James H. Law et al. report of committee on assets approved and decree awarded, plaintiff's fee in cross bill fixed at \$25.

COMMON LAW DOCKET: William S. Dineen vs. The City of Decatur, damages in the case; city given judgment for costs of suit.

Charles Plake vs. James T. and Naomi Plamrey; trespass. In the case, bond filed and bill discharged.

DEDICATED AT TAYLORVILLE

Methodist Episcopal Church Just Completed at a Cost of \$18,000.

The new First Methodist Episcopal church at Taylorville was dedicated on Sunday. The morning services began at 10:30 o'clock. Bishop Thomas Bowman, D. D., of St. Louis, delivered the sermon. Services were held at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, consisting of membership roll call and sacrament of the Lord's Supper. At 6:30 to 7:30 the Christian Endeavor, Baptist Young People and Epworth League societies held services. At 8 o'clock the Rev. Jesse Bowman Young, D. D., editor of the Christian Advocate, St. Louis, preached. At the conclusion of the sermon the church was presented by the trustees for dedication. The building is 70 by 98 feet on the outside and 40 feet to the pables. The auditorium is 70 by 54 feet with a 29-foot ceiling. The circular pews are of oak with a seating capacity of 550. The Sunday-school and lecture room is 54 by 35 feet, with 20-foot ceiling, and a seating capacity of 550. The entire building can be used as one room, with a seating capacity of 1,100. The building is lighted with gas and electric lights. The total cost is \$18,000. To the Rev. A. L. T. Ewart, the pastor, is due much of the credit in causing the church to be built.

Dr. W. O. Coffee.

The noted Chicago Oculist and Aurist is at the St. Nicholas Hotel and will remain all this week. The doctor has visited Galesburg and Quincy, Ill., where he has had the most remarkable success, restoring the deaf and blind and cross eyes. The doctor has been connected with a Chicago Eye and Ear Infirmary for many years and comes to us recommended very highly as an expert eye surgeon. The most noted success has been his new discoveries in ear diseases in a cure for deafness and otitis to have cured over 5000 cases in two years. His consultations, see free. Hours are from 9 to 4 and 7 to 8.

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